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Miss Ida Thiel

VIA AIR MAIL

Chesaning, Michigan
Route 2

Nov 24, 1984

Dear La

I received your letter tonight as always it good to hear from you.

Well what have you been doing with yourself working hard? As for myself I never work hard if I can get out of it.

Chicago, a nice place to see I was there for about 48 hours I didn't see to much but what I did see was nice.

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I well be glad when
spring get here too. I well
be close to get out of the army
I well be one happy boy.
Then I well haft to go to
work then.

One of the boys and
myself just playing around
I rip his t-shirt off him
it was all mess up anyway.

Well tomorrow well
be thanksgiving and then it won't
be long before Christmas.
Then well be my 3rd Christmas
away from home. I well be
home for Christmas in '55, you
can bet on that.

Was you in the snow
play? myself I never wanted
to be in any kind of school
play.

Well last night most
of the boys in my hut was
putting in for Christmas leaves.
Myself 9 day's wouldn't be
enough for me to go home
for.

Well Ila, as I'm not much
at writing letters I will close for
now, hoping to hear from you
soon. Be good and take
care of yourself

Love
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Nov 24, 1954

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I *well* be glad when spring *get* here too. I *well* be close to *get* out of the army I *well* be one happy boy. Then I *well haft* to go to work then.

One of the *boy* and myself just playing around I *rip* his t-shirt off him it was all *mess* up anyway.

Well tomorrow *well* be *thankgiven* and then it won't be long before Christmas. Then *well* be my 3rd Christmas away *for* home. I *well* be home for Christmas in 55, you can bet on that.

Was you in the Senior play? Myself I never wanted to be in any kind of school play.

Well last night most of the boys in my hut were putting in for Christmas leaves myself 9 *day's* wouldn't be enough for me to go home for.

Well Ila, as I'm not much at writing *lettler*, I *well* close for now, *hopeing* to hear from you soon. Be good and take care of yourself.

Love,
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